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| RESOURCE PLANNING SYSTEM |
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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The following Patents and/or Publications are submitted to
comply with the duty of disclosure under CFR 1.97-1.99 and
37 CFR 1.56. Copies of each document is included herewith.

U.S. Patent 5,369,570 to Parad, "Method and System for
Continuous Integrated Resource Management", discusses a
resource management system.

U.S. Patent 6,088,626 to Lilly et al., "Method and
Apparatus for Scheduling Work Orders in a Manufacturing
Process", discusses a method for scheduling orders.

U.S. Patent 5,953,707 to Huang et al., "Decision Support System for the Management of an Agile Supply Chain", discusses a decision support system that works with the resource planning system and vender management.

U.S. Patent 5,089,970 to Lee et al., "Integrated Manufacturing System", discusses an integrated manufacturing system.

U.S. Patent 5,787,283 to Chin et al., "Framework for Manufacturing Logistics Decision Support", discusses a manufacturing logisitcs decision support system.

U.S. Patent 6,005,571 to Pachauri, "Graphical User Interface for Managing Security in a Database System", teaches a graphical interface to a database.

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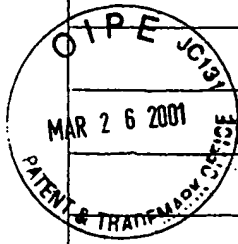
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U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	5953707	9/14/99	Huang et al.	700	10	2/21/97
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	6088626	7/11/00	Lilly et al.	700	100	4/24/98
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